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IN RED CROSS DRIVE

NODAWAY COUNTY'S QUOTA IS
FIXED AT \$21,000

WORKERS HOLD MEETING

Apportionment Will Be By Townships
as Was Done in Liberty Loan Cam-
paign — Name Committees Soon

Some sixty Nodaway county Red Cross workers met last night in the Red Cross rooms on West Third street to make plans for the coming drive for a second Red Cross war fund. The meeting was in charge of H. W. Montgomery of Skidmore, county chairman for the campaign that begins Monday, May 20, and ends Monday, May 27. Nodaway county's quota of the \$100,000,000 fund has been placed at \$21,000.

Following other Red Cross and Liberty Loan campaigns the county will raise its quota by apportionment among the fifteen townships, proportioned with reference to wealth and population. Chairman H. W. Montgomery will organize the county into school districts, as was done in the third Liberty Loan campaign, and each will be canvassed by committees from the respective townships. A list of the township committees and sub-committees, together with the township apportionment is being prepared and will be announced tomorrow.

At the meeting last night interesting talks were made by Chairman Montgomery, who told of the sacrifice being made by many of the directors and managers of the southwest division that the Red Cross work might be taken care of.

Mrs. M. Moore of Skidmore spoke of the need for earnest workers and what the work of the Red Cross meant to our boys and others suffering from the war.

Mrs. Moore said that Skidmore was proud of the little flag that cost them \$3.50, the emblem having brought that sum in last Saturday's sale, but that they were not selfish and if Maryville could pay the price she was welcome to claim ownership of the flag.

Other brief talks were made that reflected the spirit and enthusiasm of the men and women who were there ready to enter the campaign for the war fund, each one expressing the belief that Nodaway county would equal the record made in the third Liberty Loan with a subscription of double its quota.

All but five townships were represented at last night's meeting.

DIRECTOR M'ADOO IS ILL.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, May 8.—Secretary McAdoo is still confined to his bed today with an attack of tonsillitis.

SINN FEINERS PRO-GERMAN!
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
London, May 8.—Sir Edward Carson, Irish unionist leader opposing home rule, states in a letter to the press that the government has evidence that the Sinn Feiners are in alliance with Germany.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 10th, 1918

At The Christian Church

"Sunday School In Many Lands"
Stereopticon Lecture by REV. S. A. COILE

Special Music Everybody Invited Admission Free

Notice to Vehicle Owners

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL VEHICLE OWNERS OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE THAT VEHICLE TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1918 ARE PAST DUE. Any vehicle owner who has not paid such tax by May 15th, 1918, will be subject to prosecution.

By order of the Board:

EMERY AIRY, City Clerk.

PURL EDWARDS, Chief of Police.

BIG DEMAND FOR TEACHERS

Bill Providing Federal Aid In Teaching of Vocational Agriculture Creates Demand for Persons Qualified

Columbia, May 8.—The passage of the Smith-Hughes act, providing federal aid in the teaching of vocational agriculture, has created an unusual demand for teachers qualified in this subject. If the federal grant is to be used in Missouri next year 25 or 30 teachers of vocational agriculture must be available. At present three schools are teaching this subject and the teachers are paid \$1,800, \$1,700 and \$1,650 respectively. The minimum salary is \$1,200 a year.

Qualifications for teachers of vocational agriculture include successful experience both in farming and teaching, together with college preparation in agriculture and education. Special courses to fit teachers for this work will be offered in the summer session of the University of Missouri. These courses will include instruction in the methods of teaching as well as in the subject matter in vocational agriculture.

J. D. Elliff, state director of vocational education, is urging teachers to complete the requirements for this work during the summer so that they may avail themselves of the unusual opportunities offered.

38,632 WHITE MEN IN CLASS 1

Missouri Has That Many Ready On Call for Training Camps—27% of Men in Draft in This Class

Jefferson City, May 8.—Col J. H. McCard, who is in charge of the operation of the draft law in Missouri, says that there are at the present time 38,632 white men in Class 1 ready to go to training camps upon call by the government, and 6,268 negroes.

Taking the state over there are 27 per cent of the men subject to the draft law that were placed in this class. A few of the rural districts have dropped below the average but the cities have made it up to the percentage given.

A great number of men in this state who were in Class 1 have been inducted into other branches of the service, as authorized by the war department, and this has taken away from the percentage of the men now available in the class. Commencing May 25, 7,757 men will be sent to camps. All of them will be white men. Five hundred will go to Camp Riley and 7,257 to Camp Dodge. The quotas of this call for the various city wards and counties have not yet been completed.

PARRISH FUNERAL RITES

Services Were Held This Afternoon From Home on South Market Street

Funeral services for Mrs. R. J. Parrish, who died Monday night at her home, 124 South Market street, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the First Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. T. H. Wiles. Burial was in the White Cloud cemetery. Music was furnished by a quartette composed of Mrs. William Everhart, Mrs. Arch Carter, W. E. Goforth and H. J. Becker.

PHILOS WIN DEBATE

SECOND IN SERIES OF INTER-SOCIETY CONTESTS AT NORMAL

PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

Extemporaneous Speaking Will Feature Literary Events This Evening—Discuss Capital and Labor

The second in the series of inter-society contests at the Normal was held last night with a large and appreciative audience in the auditorium to hear the debate and the orations. The debating teams, as on the night previous, were composed of young ladies, the Philomathean and Eureka literary societies being represented on the question of "Resolved! That Government Ownership of Railroads Is Desirable." Misses Tessie Dougan and Nona Robinson spoke for the affirmative and Misses Gladys Rinehart and Opal Key on the opposing side.

The speakers treated the subject from every angle with the Philos being declared the winners, scoring 327 out of a possible 400 points, the losers scoring 296.

In the oration contests first place was awarded Lloyd Hartley of the Eureka, whose oration "Our New Obligations" was well given.

Miss Mattie Dykes of the Philos won second place, her oration being, "Pyramids." Miss Nellie Miller, representing the Excelsiors, was third, her oration being, "Permanent Peace."

The last of the series of literary events will be given in the auditorium tonight with a debate and extemporaneous speaking on the program, "Resolved, That Disputes Between Capital and Labor Should Be Settled by Compulsory Arbitration." It is announced as the subject for debate, the affirmative being represented by Misses Louise Youngman and Minnie Turner, the opposing team being Miss Lee Metz and Clifford Hix.

Extemporaneous speakers announced are Misses Mattie Dykes, Cassie Abshire and Nellie Miller.

A COMMUNITY MOTHER FUND

D. A. R. Receives Subscriptions Saturday at Montgomery-Cummins Store

In order that those who desire to contribute to the Community Mother fund, the D. A. R. having the matter in charge for Maryville and Nodaway county, subscriptions will be received on Saturday, May 11, at the Montgomery-Cummins clothing store. The D. A. R. chapter has already donated a sum from their treasury and will send their contribution, together with others received, to headquarters. The fund is being expended for the soldiers of Missouri for the maintenance of community houses at concentration camps that they may have a place for wholesome association, including reading, writing and singing.

SENDS KNIFE FROM BATTLEFIELD

H. C. Bailey of Quilman Gets Souvenir From Son in France

H. C. Bailey of the Farmers Bank of Quilman received a knife that is used by the British soldier in fighting on the front. The knife was sent by his son, A. Dean Bailey, who is a gun instructor, and who is now on the Flanders front. All of the soldiers carry them.

Mr. Bailey has another son, Harry Bailey, who is in the aviation corps in France. The two boys haven't met since they have been over there.

L. L. Sipes Leaves for New Home.

L. L. Sipes, who has been cashier at the Burlington freight house at Maryville for the last ten years, has accepted a position at Thermopolis, Wyo., and will leave tonight for that place. His place here was filled by O. S. Hamilton of Bedford, Iowa.

To Teach Again at Mt. Ayr.

Miss Nellie Halasey, teacher at Mt. Ayr school, has been re-employed to teach next term at an advance in salary of twenty per cent.

Dance

EVERY THURSDAY
NIGHT AT
WOODMEN HALL

—Direction Orchestra

RURAL TEACHERS ARE NAMED

With Scarcity of Good Teachers Important Salaries Are Being Advanced in Country Districts

Several of the rural schools over the county have hired teachers for the coming year at from \$80 to \$90 a month. Miss Ruby Russell has been selected as the teacher at the Lasher school at \$90 a month. Miss Maude Whitehead has been employed for the Bell Grove school at \$80 a month and her sister, Miss Eva Whitehead, was elected at Martha Washington at \$85 a month. Miss Essie Ward was chosen as teacher for the Blackman school, six miles south of Maryville, at \$80, and Miss Jennie Pugh at Glendale at the same salary.

W. H. Burr was employed as principal of the Pickering school at \$195 a month.

BUYING FOR TROOPS

EUROPEAN CITIES WERE BOUGHT OUT—BIG ORDERS GIVEN

PLACED 3 MONTHS AHEAD

With the Growth of the Army in Europe Daily Needs for Clothing and Food Grow in Proportion

That thousands of tons of supplies are being purchased in France and Great Britain for the American troops already on the firing line, is the statement of Herbert Corey, war correspondent, in a communication to the Geographical Society, a portion of which the society issues as the following war geography bulletin:

"Four hundred shiploads of things the American army needs in France have been purchased in Europe. The American army is 3,000 miles away from its home base in a country which is increasingly feeling the strain of more than three years of war. The number of Americans is added to each week. With the growth of the army the daily needs for clothing and food has grown in proportion.

"Everything was needed at once. Cloth for uniforms was bought in England, along with shoes and hats and blankets. France furnished cannon and tents and pots and pans and food. The rocky army was billeted in peasant's cottages until material for huts could be found and huts be built.

"Paris was drained dry of all sorts of office material. I doubt if there is a good desk or filing cabinet or revolving chair to be found there today. The American army reached France as bare as a fish and it had to be provided for. Naturally enough, prices blew out of the chimney in this forced draft of demand. Three times the peace value was a fair price.

"I must have tents and blankets and cots for 250 men by 6 o'clock" was the telephone message that came to one buyer at noon today.

"There isn't a tent or blanket or cot in town," said the buyer.

"Usually that would have ended the conversation. But the man at the other end of the telephone was in real earnest.

"Then 250 men will sleep in the snow tonight and cover themselves with a ditch," he said. "Don't tell me you can't get that stuff. You've got to get it."

"He got the stuff, of course. That was General Pershing's standing order in those days. He did not attempt to save dollars at the cost of lives and worry and days. If he had tried to save money that way he would not have been fit for the job. Little by little order came out of the original chaos. The things that were needed before the army could set up shop in France—before it could even open the shop door—were bought at the best prices possible. Then began the work of organizing the business. The army began to plan ahead and cut out waste.

"The purchasing board was created. It is composed of the purchasing officers of the various army departments, while the purchasing officers of the Y. M. C. A. and Red Cross have a sort of collateral relationship to the board, for both organizations are often in the market for things the army needs. At each meeting the purchasing officers pool their discoveries and their needs.

"Scouts have ransacked France and England and neutral Europe for deposits of raw material. The list of

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NO ICE PRICE RAISE

NO INCREASE WILL BE ALLOWED UNLESS NECESSITY IS PROVEN

PROFITEERING BARRED

Food Administrators Are Ordered to Investigate Advances Made by Dealers—Is a Local Problem

The United States food administration has sent out the following directions to the federal food administrators of all states:

The food administration is concerned that there should be no profiteering in ice, and especially that the cost of ice to those elements of the community which are least able to protect themselves should not be increased over last year unless absolute proof can be given by the ice companies as to the necessity. Any increase in price over that ruling last season to the household consumer will, therefore, justify investigation as to whether it constitutes profiteering.

Should Investigate Increases.

All ice dealers should be required to file with you any proposed schedule of increased prices before these increases are put into effect, and no increase to the household consumer shall be made until after investigation. Your attention is called to that section of the food control act in which provision is made with regard to unfair practices, and in case of a proposed increase in price you should investigate the tendency to make unreasonable lower prices to commercial users than to domestic users, considering at all times cost in distribution. An unreasonable difference would be an unfair practice.

Is a Local Problem.

The ice problem is essentially a local problem, and we do not wish to intervene where local dealers do not increase prices, or come to an arrangement with municipal authorities which will be satisfactory to both dealer and consumer. If, however, such settlements cannot be made by local authorities in cases where there is an attempt to unreasonably increase prices, we suggest that you endeavor to arbitrate a settlement. Should this fail, please so report, and then we are prepared in the interest of reasonable prices to use all the powers we have, including that of license in any given locality, and to place ice handlers in that locality under the restraints of the food bill. We greatly hope that the matter can be settled by local authorities in all cases and that as few appeals as possible be made to you. Notify local administrators to bring to your attention any attempts at increase in price and notify all dealers.

U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION.

FORETOLD WAR EVENTS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Paris, May 8.—M. Duval, manager of the newspaper Bonnet Rouge, under investigation on a charge of disloyalty, predicted two years in advance that revolution would break out in Russia and that Italy would be invaded. He also foretold the present battle. The testimony caused a sensation.

CORRESPONDENTS ON TRIAL.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, May 8.—Three American newspaper correspondents are to be placed on trial in Mexico City charged with writing articles derogatory to the Mexican army, the state department was informed today. The articles in question are said to have been about the Tampico campaign.

Need for Quarterly Registration.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, May 8.—Necessity for quarterly registration of men who become twenty-one, if the demand for men increases, was impressed on the house military affairs committee today by Provost Marshal General Crowder. General Crowder asked for an appropriation of fifteen million dollars for his office for the fiscal year.

76 IN TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Of Two Previously Reported Missing One Is Now a Prisoner and Another Is In the Hospital

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, May 8.—Headed by the names of thirteen soldiers killed in action, a casualty list of seventy-six names was announced this morning by the war department. Three died of disease, two were victims of accidents, thirteen were severely wounded, forty-one were slightly wounded, three are missing, one previously missing is now a prisoner and another reported missing is now in the hospital.

GETS THE BERNSTORFF CODE

Federal Government Now In Possession of German Document Used to Direct Activities Here

Albany, N. Y., May 8.—The code used by the German foreign office to communicate with Count Von Bernstorff while directing German activities in the United States is now an open book in possession of the federal government through the efforts of Attorney General Lewis of New York, who conducted the investigations which led to the execution of Bolo Pasha in Paris for treason. The code was deciphered and turned over to the federal officials.

COLFAX, IA., CAPT. MISSING

Capt. Jas. N. Hall, Author-Aviator, Is Last Seen in Combat Behind the German Lines

On the American Front in France, May 8.—Rain drenched the American front at Lorraine and along the Meuse yesterday, interfering with artillery operations and airplane activity. Following a series of thrilling air encounters over the front northeast of Toul, Capt. James Norman Hall of Colfax, Iowa, failed to return and it is believed he was shot down or was forced down behind the German lines. Two Americans accompanying him continued the battle, two of the Germans being forced out of commission. Captain Hall is a well known author and one of the best known of the allied aviators.

G.A.R. VETS TO ST. JOSEPH

Will Attend 37th Annual Encampment of State—Big Patriotic Parade and Demonstration on Thursday

The members of the G. A. R. of Maryville are to go to St. Joseph to attend the thirty-seventh annual encampment were Aaron Souers, George Davis, J. M. Evans, J. D. Dickerson, F. X. Smith, M. Goodson and Stephen Martin.

More than 300 veterans of the Civil War were expected to meet this morning at the Lyceum theatre, where all the sessions of the encampment will be held. Capt. Thomas W. Evans of St. Joseph, department commander, called the meeting to order and Mayor Whitsell gave an address of welcome. A musical program in which the musicians were attired in the khaki of the modern American soldier, together with numerous addresses, have been arranged for tonight.

On Thursday afternoon there will be a patriotic parade which promises to be one of the best seen in St. Joseph this year.

By a proclamation issued by Mayor Whitsell, Thursday afternoon will be observed as widely as possible as a holiday. Arrangements are being made to have the school children march and the Central high school band has patriotically offered their services. At the close of the parade the veterans will be taken for a motor car ride over the city.

THURSDAY

ONE MEAL
WHEATLESS

USE NO BREAD CRACKERS,
PASTRY OR RELIANT TOAST
CONTAINING WHEAT



A BRITISH ADVANCE

SLIGHT GAINS MADE BETWEEN SOMME AND ANCRE RIVERS

RAINS IN BATTLE ZONE

Halg Takes Some Prisoners in Minor Operations — Germans Cannonading Over Most of Flanders Front

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 8.—The British front was advanced in three different localities between the Somme and Ancre rivers, the war office announced today. On the Flanders front the German artillery developed intense activity this morning in the sectors of Meteren and Kennel. During the night the German artillery bombarded the positions around Robeco, Lecon and St. Julian. In minor operations on the Picardy front the British captured some prisoners. The Germans are cannonading over the greater part of the Flanders front today.

The Front Is a Morass.

Doubtless the heavy ground due to the rains is holding back the preparations of the Germans, for it is no easy task to move up men, guns and supplies over the morass in the shell-furrowed territory to the front. Meanwhile the Allied line everywhere is being reinforced to meet the enemy when again he unleashes his infantry forces. The Americans are taking a prominent part in this strengthening of the line. M. Clemenceau, the French premier, who has just returned to Paris from the battle front, is authority for the statement that American troops are continuing to arrive in the battle zone in force.

Berlin, May 8.—The German official communication says:

"On the battle front the artillery activity was lively. On the northern bank of the Lys advances by English companies failed. Between the Ancre and the Somme the enemy employed Australians for a night attack. On both sides of the Corbie-Bray road they succeeded in reaching our foremost line. For the rest, their twice-repeated attack broke down before our posts with heavy losses. The artillery battle continued until daylight with the greatest intensity.

"South of Brimont storming detachments pushed forward across the Aisne canal into the enemy's positions near Courcy and brought back some prisoners."

Paris, May 8.—Heavy artillery duels continued throughout the night north and south of Avre, the war office announced. The Teutons tried several coup de mains west of Montdidier and Tonnes in the Hangard and Grievences sectors, but they were broken up. The French took some prisoners in minor operations. The Americans are holding part of the Avre front.

TRY TO OUST LLOYD GEORGE

Former Premier Asquith Heads Political Party Seeking to Force Prime Minister to Resign

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 8.—A political drive designed to force Premier Lloyd George from office is under full swing today. The opposition is headed by former Premier Asquith, who has given notice he will ask the house of commons for the appointment of a select committee to consider the charges made by General Maurice, former director of military operations. The government desires that the matter be fully proved by two capable judges. The opposition declared an act of parliament would be necessary. The motion will be debated tomorrow.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday partly cloudy; not much change in temperature.

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A DRAFTED MAN'S RATING

What the Numbers Stand for as Reported by the District or Local Draft Board

Democrat-Forum:

I wish you would publish in full what the numbers stand for when it gives a drafted man's rating; for instance, 4A, 11, 13, 2C, etc. Give them all, for there are but few who know the meaning of the terms.

Yours truly,

J. S. WOOD,
Elmo, Mo.

The draft questionnaire provides for classification of men into five classes. Each of the five classes provides for sub-classifications. The five classes and their sub-classes are given as follows.

CLASS I.

- A—Single man without dependent relatives.
- B—Married man, with or without children, or father of motherless children, who has habitually failed to support his family.
- C—Married man dependent on wife for support.
- D—Married man, with or without children, or father of motherless children; man not usefully engaged, family supported by income independent of his labor.
- E—Unskilled farm laborer.
- F—Unskilled industrial laborer.

CLASS II.

- A—Married man with children or father of motherless children, where such wife or children or such motherless children are not mainly dependent upon his labor for support for the reason that there are other reasonably certain sources of adequate support (excluding earnings or possible earnings from the labor of the wife), available, and that the removal of the registrant will not deprive such dependents of support.
- B—Married man, without children, whose wife, although the registrant is engaged in a useful occupation, is not mainly dependent upon his labor for support, for the reason that the wife is skilled in some special class of work which she is physically able to perform and in which she is employed, or in which there is an immediate opening for her under conditions that will enable her to support herself decently and without suffering or hardship.
- C—Necessary skilled farm laborer in necessary agricultural enterprise.
- D—Necessary skilled industrial laborer in necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS III.

- A—Man with dependent children (not his own), but toward whom he stands in relation of parent.
- B—Man with dependent aged or infirm parents.
- C—Man with dependent helpless brothers or sisters.
- D—County or municipal officer.
- E—Highly trained fireman or policeman, at least three years in service of municipality.
- F—Necessary customhouse clerk.
- G—Necessary employee of United States in transmission of the mails.
- H—Necessary artificer or workman in U. S. armory or arsenal.
- I—Necessary employee in service of United States.
- J—Necessary assistant, associate, or hired manager of necessary agricultural enterprise.
- K—Necessary highly specialized technical or mechanical expert of necessary industrial enterprise.
- L—Necessary assistant or associate manager of necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS IV.

- A—Man whose wife or children are mainly dependent on his labor for support.
- B—Mariner actually employed in sea service of citizen or merchant in the United States.
- C—Necessary sole managing, controlling, or directing head of necessary agricultural enterprise.
- D—Necessary sole managing, controlling, or directing head of necessary industrial enterprise.

CLASS V.

- A—Officers—legislative, executive, or judicial of the United States or of State, Territory, or District of Columbia.
- B—Regular or duly ordained minister of religion.
- C—Student who on May 18, 1917, was preparing for ministry in recognized school.
- D—Persons in military or naval service of United States.
- E—Alien enemy.
- F—Resident alien (not an enemy) who claims exemption.
- G—Person totally and permanently physically or mentally unfit for military service.
- H—Person morally unfit to be a soldier of the United States.
- I—Licensed pilot actually employed in the pursuit of his vocation.

THE EFFICIENT WOMAN.

The foundation of efficiency lies in a robust, healthy constitution. When ill, weak and suffering from dragging-down pains, inflammatory and ulcerated conditions or displacement with consequent backache, headaches, nervousness and "the blues," no woman can be efficient or hardly a fit companion to live with. If every woman in this condition would only give that most successful of all root and herb remedies, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial, she would soon be restored to health and reach the goal of her ambition for personal efficiency.

St. Joseph Visitor.

Mrs. George C. Toel of St. Joseph is visiting her mother, Mrs. Agnes Dutton, and her sister, Mrs. O. C. Hanna. She will be joined the latter part of the week by Mr. Toel, who will spend the week-end here.

State of Missouri Bureau of Building and Loan Supervision.

Jefferson City, Mo., Apr. 5, '18
Mr. John G. Grems, President,
Maryville Homestead & Loan Assn., Maryville, Mo.

Dear Sir:

I have received detailed report of the recent examination of your association by my examiner, Mr. E. S. Casey, who reports your association a good healthy growth, having gained \$50,000.00 in assets since last examination. All records and bookkeeping were reported to be in fine shape, all securities and insurance being on file. This is indeed a gratifying report, and I wish to commend the association upon it.

With all good wishes for the continued success of your association, and if at any time I can serve you, command me.

Very truly,

MORRIS G. GORDON,
Supervisor.

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HAPPY—Send the
boys in camp or
overseas, the things
they long for—cheerful
home news and
pictures—

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Naval Applicants Rejected.

Lynn Auten and Leonard Gray, who went to St. Louis Monday night to enlist in the navy, were rejected. Auten returned home this morning, while Gray is trying to enlist in the artillery corps.

Sunday School at Mt. Ayr.

There will be Sunday school at Mt. Ayr next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Graham Christian Church.

Mother's Day sermons will be preached by Elder Harlan next Lord's Day as follows: Palestine at 11 a. m., and Graham at 8 p. m. Special programs are being arranged for these services. All are welcome. Wear the appropriate flower in honor of your mother. The program last Lord's Day at Maitland was well attended. The Bible school attendance was 101.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Don't Let Catarrh Drag You into Consumption

Avoid Its Dangerous Stage.

There is a more serious stage of Catarrh than the annoyance caused by the stopped-up air passages, and the hawking and spitting and other distasteful features.

The real danger comes from the tendency of the disease to continue its course downward until the lungs become affected, and then dreaded consumption is on your path. Your own experience has taught you that the disease cannot be cured by

sprays, inhalers, atomizers, jellies and other local applications.

S. S. S. has proven a most satisfactory remedy for Catarrh because it goes direct to its source, and removes the germs of the disease from the blood. Get a bottle from your druggist today, and begin the only logical treatment that gives real results. You can obtain special medical advice without charge by writing to Medical Director, 27 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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Special attention is called to this style which is proving very popular.

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Misses', price\$1.00
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Men's White Duck Oxfords.....\$1.25
Boys' White Duck Oxfords.....\$1.00
Ladies' White Duck Oxfords.....\$1.00

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A Gossard is so easy to put on

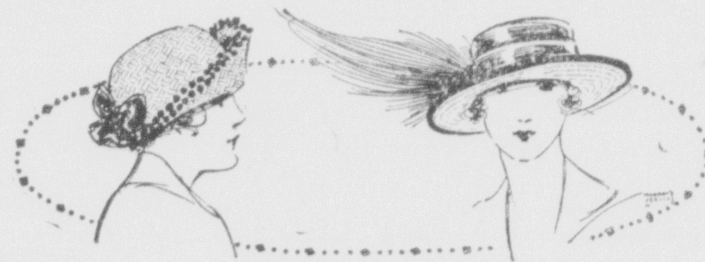
You stand before your mirror, swing and adjust your lacing to obtain a flat abdomen, a curve under the bust, and perfect freedom above the waistline, and so much in your oldest Gossard the same lines you had when the corset was new.



Haines

The Store That Spot Cash Built.

Closing Out Sale of Dark Hats



In order to clear our stock and make room for the new summer goods that are arriving, we will sell all our dark colored hats at greatly reduced prices. This sale will be held

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 10 AND 11

and will be a bargain event that no lady in Nodaway county who expects to buy a dark hat before next season, can afford to miss. Here are just a few bargains—

\$9.00 and \$10.00 hats at....\$6.95 4.50 and 5.00 hats at.... 3.95
7.50 and 8.50 hats at.... 5.95 3.50 and 4.00 hats at.... 2.95
6.00 and 6.50 hats at.... 4.95

One lot of hats formerly priced at \$3.50 to \$7, to close out.....\$2.00

Bon Marche Millinery

Plants for Sale

Cabbage—10c doz; 60c 100
Tomatoes—10c doz; 60c 100
Sweet Potatoes—60c 100
Pansies 40c dozen.

TOWNSEND'S GROCERY

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY
HARDING 42. Farmers 114.

Had Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Peery, 910 West Third street, had as their dinner guests today, Mr. and Mrs. H. DePriest of Darlington, Mo. Mrs. Peery is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. DePriest.

Meet at 1:45 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. Church will meet at the church parlors at 1:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Special business of importance is scheduled to come up. The meeting is held earlier than usual so that they can attend to Red Cross work later in the afternoon.

Senior Class Party.

The beginning senior class of the high school entertained the advanced seniors, members of the faculty and a few other friends Saturday night with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Fisher, northwest of Maryville. The house was beautifully decorated with the class colors, red and green, and guest favors of red and green May baskets were given. A dainty two-course luncheon was served. Besides the senior classes, and the faculty the guests were: Charley Bellows, Grace Fisher, Mary Belle and Roy Fisher.

Entertain Merry Mingle Club.

The Merry Mingle Club was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. William Trullinger at her home east of Maryville. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Albert Mercer. A purchase of \$20 worth of yarn was made. The club will knit the yarn up and donate the finished articles to the Red Cross. A delightful afternoon was spent by those present, who were as follows: Members, Mrs. H. J. Lind, Mrs. A. B. Stien, Mrs. Henry Smock, Mrs. Fred Wallace and baby son, Mrs. Fisher Mercer and baby son, Mrs. Lewis Wilson, Mrs. Thomas Tallon, Mrs. W. L. Marsh, Misses Clara Stien, Nettie Smock, Katherine Mercer. The visitors present were Mrs. Albert Mercer, Misses Arvilla Trullinger, Mary and Genevieve Tallon. Miss Edith Marsh was taken in as a new club member. The next meeting will be on May 16, with Mrs. Thomas Tallon.

White Cloud Auxiliary.

The White Cloud Auxiliary met last Thursday, May 2 in their new headquarters, the Blackman schoolhouse. They completed \$50 2x2 gauze wipes, 50 4x4 wipes. The officers of this auxiliary are boosting hard for a Junior Red Cross unit, as a number of the children have shown themselves very apt and are proving their services invaluable in the work now in progress. Mrs. C. H. Rice, the instructor, is capable of handling both classes should they succeed in their efforts. The regular working members in attendance were: Mrs. C. I. Frost, Mrs. E. E. Bolin, Mrs. Harry Wamsley, Mrs. Matt Rose, Mrs. C. H. Rice, Mrs. Nancy Moore, Mrs. Russell Logan, Mrs. J. D. Bolin, Mrs. Charles Hilsenbeck, Mrs. Roy Debord, Mrs. Mary Bracken, Mrs. Will Bracken, Miss Mae Logan. The Juniors that are now proving so valuable are: Marie Frost, Ruby Rice, Alene Bolin, Helen Bolin, Christine Debord, Hazel and Marie Hilsenbeck. This auxiliary also presented a beautiful spray of white carnations and roses as a token of remembrance of their highly esteemed sister member, Mrs. Rebecca Parish.

Returned to Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham, who were recently married at Sharpville, Pa., returned last night to Clyde, Mo., where they will make their home.

Former Maryville Resident Here.

Miss Bertha Schmauder of Burlington Junction and her brother, Walter Schmauder of Dallas, Texas, who is her guest, were in Maryville on business this morning. Mr. Schmauder is a former Maryville resident and will be remembered by a number of Maryville people.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICE

PNEUMONIA
First call a physician.
Then begin hot applications of—
VICK'S VAPORUB
Keep a Little Body Guard in Your Home
25c—50c—\$1.00

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted

WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

H. L. Raines
Optician
110 W. 3RD, JUST A STEP EAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

WHITE CLOUD GRADUATION

Class Numbers Five Members—Exercises Will Be Held at Pickering

The eighth grade commencement exercises of the White Cloud school will be held at Pickering Friday evening. Five pupils will be graduated. They are Maude Thull, Pauline Rinsold, Sylvia Baldwin, Kennard Maier, O'and Rinsold. Miss Edith Marsh was the teacher at White Cloud last term. Miss Marsh will teach at the Council Corners school next term at a salary of \$12.50 per month.

Dr. K. C. Cummins returned last night from Camp Funston where he visited his son, Eugene J. Cummins.

MARYVILLE WOMAN GLAD SISTER ESCAPED OPERATION

"Physicians had given my sister up to die; they wanted to operate for gall stones, but she was too weak and could only talk in whispers. I got her a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and in three weeks she was able to get about and walked a mile to church." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Company.

BUYING FOR TROOPS

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needs is made up in each department for three months ahead.

"In the first days of the American expedition in France purchases were made in a scattering fashion. Then it became obvious that if only a few tents were needed at the moment the day would come when tents by the hundreds would be necessary. Therefore, the man who found tents for sale—or anything else—bought all he could find. If the price was right, now, a system has come into its own. The list of requirements for the army is made up for three months ahead, on the basis of requisitions furnished by the officers commanding the active units. That is known as the uniform equipment. It is apparent that a unit of 25,000 men will always need certain things. It is equally apparent that there is no close relation between 25,000 railroad ties and 25,000 men. Sometimes the exceptional equipment comes into play."

Promoted to Sergeant.

Eugene J. Cummins, son of Dr. K. C. Cummins, with the medical detachment of the 355th Inf., at Camp Funston, has been promoted to sergeant, according to information received by his father.

DISCUSS HUN FIRE MENACE

Chicago, May 8.—Plans for combating the Hun firebomb menace throughout the country were scheduled for discussion today at the opening of the three-day annual convention of the National Fire Protection Association.

Since the United States entered the war numerous fires of incendiary origin have swept the country and there is reason to believe that the association plans effective measures in cooperation with government officials to wipe out German incendiaries.

W. E. Mallalieu, general manager of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, this afternoon spoke on "The Public Service of the Fire Underwriter in War Time."

The following officers have been nominated for the coming year and will be elected at Thursday's session:

F. J. T. Stewart, New York, president; H. O. Lacombe, Boston, first vice president; W. E. Mallalieu, New York, second vice president; Franklin H. Wentworth, Boston, secretary-treasurer; H. L. Phillips, Hartford, chairman of executive committee.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Ice! Ice!!

TO KEEP YOU COOL. The trade has started in earnest. Now is the time to get GOOD DISTILLED and FILTERED MANUFACTURED ICE. Machinery running every day and making the best that can be made.

Get your Coupon Book and Ice Cards. Put your cards out early in the morning as the ice wagons go out for all parts of the city at seven o'clock with experienced men delivering.

Have your Coupon Tickets or cash on the refrigerator, so the deliveryman will not be delayed. If you wish to commence taking ice or you are not getting it as desired, call the office.

Han. 5; Far. 56.

Wm. Everhart

Make The Garden Produce More

Set out better plants and select the best varieties. See our plants and become familiar with our varieties. Our prices are right, too.

Potted early tomato plants 35c per dozen, 3 dozen for \$1.00. Transplanted (not untransplanted seedlings) early and main crop tomato plants 15c and 20c per dozen; \$1.00 and \$1.50 per hundred. Transplanted early Wakefield and Copenhagen market cabbage plants 15c per dozen; 2 dozen for 25c; \$1.00 per 100.

Transplanted mango pepper plants, our superior strain, 25c per dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

White sweet potato plants ready now; red and yellow ready May 12—75c per 100; \$7.00 per 1,000.

Transplanted best purple egg plants ready May 10, 25c per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

Potted watermelon plants, 3 plants to a pot, 35c per dozen pots; \$2.50 per 100 pots.

We deliver free to any address in Maryville. Phone and mail orders receive prompt and careful attention. Please add postage to all parcel post shipments. We make no extra charge for packing.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

Phones 17.

1901 So. Main Street.

Our Sewing Machine Demonstration

Monday, May 13, to Saturday, May 18, inclusive

Every lady in Nodaway County is invited to attend this demonstration next week, as often as you wish. The work will consist of a beautiful display of needlework done by Miss Stella Bell on the famous

White Rotary Sewing Machine

Miss Bell is not a stranger to Maryville, having conducted a demonstration here three years ago, and we are sure all who saw her then will be glad to meet her again. The demonstration and sale of the machine during the week will be entirely under the supervision of Miss Bell. We will give a prize of

\$10.00 in Gold

to the lady holding the lucky number on Saturday night. It costs you nothing, and you are under no obligation to buy anything. Simply come in and register your name and you will be given a ticket. IT MIGHT BE THE ONE TO WIN THE PRIZE.

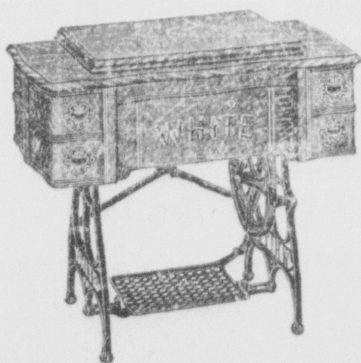
THE WHITE SEWING MACHINE is a triumph of years of sewing machine construction. It is one of the best—if not THE best—machines on the market. We are selling White Sewing Machines at most reasonable prices, on terms or cash and will take your old machine as part payment on a new White.

THRIFT AND ECONOMY and the extra demands of the times make it necessary for you to have a GOOD machine. If you haven't a machine that is 100 per cent efficient now is the time to get one. But whether you wish to buy or not, be sure to attend the demonstration and get your ticket.

MAY 13th TO MAY 18th INCLUSIVE.

PRICE & McNEAL

FURNITURE—RUGS



THE SUBMARINE TOLL GROWS.

Washington, May 8.—British submarines successfully attacked more than forty enemy warships, according to a statement from the British admiralty received here.

AIRPLANES CRASH, 1 KILLED.

Minneapolis, L. I., May 8.—One American aviator was killed and three others were injured when their machines collided on a field this afternoon.

TOPEKA, KAN., LEADS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, May 8.—Virtually complete returns from the third liberty loan show that Topeka, Kan., led cities of the 25,000 population class with a 200 per cent quota.

Marriage Licenses.

The following were issued a marriage license today:

Curtis L. Emmons and C. Elizabeth Winemiller, both of Stanberry.

Captaincy for Dr. Cummins.

Dr. K. C. Cummins received his commission yesterday as captain in the medical reserve corps and is awaiting call to service. Capt. Cummins is advised that his commission dates from April 20.

A Hooverized community is one in which the English sparrows and alley cats hold indignation meetings over the poor pickins.

After paying a dime to see some of the freaks in a side show I feel like I ought to pay war tax when I look at some of the people I meet on the street.

"Persistence is one of the greatest virtues a man can possess," says a well known writer. That assertion is subject to amendment and debate. For instance: There is the tumblebug—it has been persistent for thousands of years—and it is still only a tumblebug.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Silk Dresses

\$13.75 to \$40.00

SILK DRESSES are very popular for Spring wear and every woman should include at least one in her Spring Wardrobe.

The Ready-to-Wear department now has on display for your selection some of the best models of leading manufacturers in America.

There is a color, weave and style to meet your individual taste and at prices which you can well afford.

The materials are—Taffeta Foulard, Tussah, Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe and Messaline.

These new dresses are white and plain colors in Navy, Green, Tan, Taupe, Gray, Rose, Plum, Poilu and various colors in stripes,

plaids and figured effects. The Tussah silks are in combination of white and green, and white and blue.

The skirts are in draped effects, tunics, gathered and pleated styles. All dresses have long sleeves. Many have collars of white or contrasting color, while some have collars, cuffs and belt of like material. Some have the embroidered effect; others have braided motifs; still others are trimmed in buttons.

All are new creations and the height of the season's styles. Come and try on some of these new dresses and see how becoming and beautiful they really are. You will be under no obligations to buy—we are glad of an opportunity to show you these new styles, whether you wish to buy or not.

Mid-Season Hats

\$5.00 to \$12.00

We are now displaying a new assortment of mid-season hats. Many of the models are suitable for graduates. These are advance styles and the assortment affords an opportunity to those who want to wear the new styles at the very beginning of the season.

These new models are of White Milan, White Georgette Crepe and Black Maline. They are mostly all large hats in various shapes. Some have transparent brims; some have the droop brim; others are in wide sailor effects; while some are in bonnet styles.

The trimmings employed include wings, flowers and ribbons in white and colors.

See the new styles now.



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion. Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A limited amount Johnson County White, Early Yellow Dent and White Cap seed corn. M. C. Thompson, Farmers phone 41-15. 3-12

PLANTS FOR SALE—Cabbage 10c dozen, 60c per hundred; tomatoes 10c dozen, 60c per hundred; sweet potatoes 60c per hundred; pansies 40c dozen. Scott's, 424 S. Depot St. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Spring pigs, in lots to suit purchaser. These are nice lot of Chester White pigs, just old enough to wean. L. B. Converse, Mutual 36-18. 7-9

FOR SALE—Household goods, including large sized soft coal heater, sanitary couch, good clothing, library table, 4 beds, 2 dressers, dining table and chairs, 2 washstands. Inquire lower east Hyslop apartment. 7-9*

FOR SALE—Improved 85 acres, close in, spring. Arkansas Investment Co., Leslie, Ark. 8-10

FOR SALE—Jersey male calf. O. L. Robey, 416 W. 11th St. Hanamo 475. 8-10

FOR SALE—Choice yellow Jersey sweet potato plants, 50c per 100. H. A. Coulter, Farmers phone 525. 8-11

MISCELLANEOUS

IF the man who got my tile spade when I was not looking will return it, no questions will be asked. W. R. Smiley. 7-9*

GET THE ST. LOUIS STAR—Prints all the news—3 months \$1.00. Call Johnny Hansen, Farmers 111-11. 6-8*

BUMMAGE SALE—Friday and Saturday by ladies of Presbyterian church at Kane building. 7-9

LOST—Sunday, girl's dark brown coat, near river bridge northeast Pickering. Notify W. J. Noakes, Pickering, phone 9-54. 7-9*

DON'T FAIL to investigate my Pre-Valued automobile insurance indemnity single or term policies. Maximum efficiency, on an equitable basis besides forty years' experience. At your service for fire, lightning, hail and tornado, as well as accident and plate glass. See me while you think about it. Chas. Hyslop. 29tf

HAVE your old mattresses made over like new; feather mattresses made from your old feather beds. Hanamo 449. P. O. Box 93. 8-10*

R. R. TENNEY at the Linville hotel will be pleased to hear from anyone interested in a HOLLOW TILE SILO or contemplating the erection of a silo. 8-*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room cottage, modern except heat, across street from Baptist church. Dr. K. C. Cummins. 1tf

FOR RENT—6-room modern house, garden, good neighborhood. Mrs. E. E. Sheldon, 2843 Wabash, Kansas City, Mo. R. L. McDougal. 30tf

WANTED

WANTED—Job by month on farm by married man. Can give good references. Hanamo 4515, Farmers 41-14. 6-8*

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; no washing, good wages, good home. Write or phone Mrs. Isadore Hassenbusch, 1124 Ridenbaugh, St. Joseph, Mo. Phone Main 33432. 6-8

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair. Armstrong's Foundry. 2tf

WANTED—3 or 4 furnished rooms downstairs for housekeeping. Close in. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 7-9*

Found.

FOUND—Auto license No. 130356. Owner can have by inquiring Democrat-Forum and paying for ad. 8-10

FOUND—Auto casing on rim. Owner may have by proving property and paying for ad. Rufus R. Smith, Arkoe, Mo. 6-8*

FOUND—Automobile crank south-west of Maryville. Inquire J. A. Briggs 222 S. Walnut. 6-8*

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, May 8.—CORN—May \$1.27.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, May 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 10,000; steers \$15.00 @ \$17.50; cows \$8.00 @ \$14.50.

HOGS—Receipts 8,000; top \$17.53; bulk \$17.20 @ \$17.50.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, May 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 6,000; market higher.

HOGS—Receipts 22,000; market higher; top \$18.95.

St. Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, May 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 3,500; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts 9,000 market 10 higher; top \$17.45.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen 28c

Butter fat, per lb. 40c

Hides, per lb. 20c

Hens, per lb. 12c

Ducks, per lb. 12c

Geese, per lb. 12c

Roosters, per lb. 12c

BINDER TWINE MARGIN RAISED

Profit of 1½ Cents a Pound Considered Not Sufficient

Columbia, May 8.—It was hoped by the food administration that retail dealers would be able to handle binder twine on a margin of 1½ cents a pound this season, but further investigation indicates that such a margin is too small in view of the risk assumed.

Announcement was made recently by the food administration that a differential or margin of 2 cents a pound cash, or its equivalent, and 2½ cents on time, with freight added from the factory, above the manufacturer's price of 23 cents a pound, will not be considered unreasonable by it. The necessity of early shipments, increase in financial responsibility of the dealer and increased cost of doing business are some of the reasons given for modifying the pre-war margins to this extent.

Farmers are urgently urged to place their orders for probable requirements for binder twine as soon as possible, so that local dealers can

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT



EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS
222 N. Main Street.

Hameaulier

A Pure Bred Percheron Stallion.

A dark steel gray, weight 1,970, fine style and action. \$15 to insure living colt in foal. Will make the season of 1918 at the barn of J. R. Dowden, three-fourths mile east of Myrtle Tree. Farmers F1-15.

provide by early shipment for an adequate supply of twine to meet the harvest requirements. Shipping conditions are such that more time must be allowed from factory to local distributing points to avoid danger of shortage in supply.

FOR SALE—Black soy beans, \$5.00 per bushel, f. o. b. Hopkins, bags extra. Sayler Hdw. Co., Hopkins, Mo. 8-10



Red-blooded men of courage are on the firing line—and there are many anemic, weak, discouraged men and women left at home.

At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimply" or pale skin.

Bloodless people, thin, anemic people, those with pale cheeks and lips, who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the springtime of the year, should try the refreshing tonic powers of a good alternative and blood purifier. Such a one is extracted from Blood root, Golden Seal and Stone root, Queen's root and Oregon Grape root, made up with chemically pure glycerine and without the use of alcohol. This can be obtained in ready-to-use tablet form in sixty cent vials, as druggists have sold it for fifty years as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form.

A good purge should be taken once a week even by persons who have a movement daily, in order to eliminate matter which may remain and cause a condition of auto-intoxication, poisoning the whole system. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice health measures. There is nothing so good for this purpose as tiny pills made up of the May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, and sold by almost all druggists in this country as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, sugar-coated, easy to take.



Grain your old floors to look like new hardwood. Chi-Namel is heat-proof, washable, sanitary, long-wearing, easily applied and costs about 2 cents a square foot. Learn about Chi-Namel varnishes, enamels and other finishes for home use. The Chi-Namel Store. In your locality will teach you to grain in five minutes, free. Chi-Namel products are confined to one representative, dependent to a locality—always a dealer known for high grade service and reliable merchandise. The Ohio Varnish Co., Cleveland

This means our store

We are exclusive agents for the Chi-Namel products advertised in the national magazines. We know their worth by actual test—just as we select every article in our stock.

Chi-Namel Color Varnishes—also uncolored—for floors, woodwork and furniture.
Chi-Namel Auto Finishes give color and gloss in one application. Self-leveling. Show no brush marks. Water and weather proof.
Chi-Namel Furniture Polish removes white spots from furniture.

Gaugh & Evans

Ravenwood News

Miss Nellie Lee Sims, Correspondent

Gaylord Bentley of Excelsior Spgs. is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. H. Casteel.

Miss Blanche Peterson is visiting in Maryville with Miss Kathryn Goodson, who is convalescing at the home of the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Goodson.

F. T. Loch and family have moved from the hotel to the Edwards property.

Miss Nancy David went to Albany Sunday for an extended visit with friends there.

Mrs. George Kelley and daughter, Marjorie, of St. Joseph spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Casteel spent Sunday

day in Maryville the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curfman.

W. A. Conn and family and Mrs. Lewis Joy and Mrs. Nan McElvain drove to Allendale Tuesday to attend the funeral of an uncle of Mr. Conn.

D. M. Bishop and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Bishop's parents in Maryville; also Mr. and Mrs. Cory Pettijohn visited a sister in Arkoe.

Howard Beedle and family, H. T. McMullin and family and Mrs. O. Wright drove to Alanthus Saturday evening to attend a lecture at the Christian church.

Everett Thrasher had the misfortune to break a bone in his wrist while cranking his car Sunday morning.

Mrs. S. H. Leary accompanied her daughter, Miss Leatha, to Kansas City Tuesday, where she went for a visit

The Monopipe Furnace
Do You Want a Furnace?

The Monopipe Furnace was built primarily with the idea of furnishing clean, humidified, warm air for the thousands of homes that heretofore have been compelled to rely on inadequate and dirty stoves. In many cases, the regular type of furnace installation is out of the question on account of tearing up the floors and walls for registers, stacks, etc. Again, the basement is often too small to admit the furnace, or the home owner has not felt justified in spending the money required for an elaborate pipe installation.

Regardless of the reason, the home owner has, nevertheless, longed for and is entitled to the clean, healthful, even heat which is supplied with

The Monopipe Furnace

The installation is exceedingly simple. No complicated masonry or carpenter work is necessary. As simple as a stove to operate. Ventilates as well as heats. Purifies and changes the air in every room.

The low price of the high grade Monopipe will both surprise and please you.

The Monopipe is the pipeless product of the Marshalltown Furnace Co., manufacturers of the well known Lennox Torrid Zone Furnace.

Come in and see the Monopipe on the floor of

The Kesslers Hardware

West Third Street.

City Ice

Our delivery wagons start MONDAY, MAY 6, to all parts of city. There are many reasons why you should use city ice and the Water Board has put this ice up to protect you in QUANTITY, QUALITY, PRICE and WEIGHTS. DON'T BE DECEIVED—we have ample supply to fill all orders—ice that will pass pure food inspection.

COUPON BOOKS ON SALE AT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE OR ANY OF OUR DRIVERS.

OUR PRICE IS 40c PER HUNDRED
16 Ounces to the pound.

Strough & Frieze

Hanamo 3724. PROPRIETORS.
Hanamo 4228

Conkey's Chicken Remedy

FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES TO CLOSE
LINE OUT. REMEDY FOR—

ROUP—LICE POWDER AND LIQUID
WHITE DIAHHOREA—POULTRY TONIC
CHOLERA—FLY KNOCKER

Phones—Han. 110; Farmers 230.

MARYVILLE FEED & MILLING COMPANY
205 West 3rd St.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Leo Atherton-drove to Kansas City today on business for the Sewell Garage.

J. A. Speirs

Dealer in Poultry and Dairy Products.

We invite your patronage on the basis of our careful business methods and assure you of every courtesy and attention possible, guaranteeing highest market prices and Spot Cash for your produce. Sell me your Eggs, Poultry, Cream, Hides, etc. Farmers 87; Hanamo 397. Location 118 E. Fifth.

HUDSON & WELCH
NORTH SIDE HARDWARE MEN
THE STORE WITH RIGHT PRICES

THE SISSON LOAN & TITLE CO.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Real Estate, Loans
and Insurance

Counting Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank
Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

Maryville, Mo., May 2, 1918.

As a conservation measure, and at the suggestion of the National Council of Defense and the United States Food Administration, we the undersigned Grocers and Meat Dealers of the City of Maryville, Missouri, do enter into the following agreement between F. P. Robinson, Nodaway County Food Administrator and ourselves.

On and after Wednesday, May 15, 1918, we will make but one delivery a day, leaving our places of business at 8 a. m. each day, no orders to be delivered except those received by us on the previous day and listed for the next morning delivery. Except that on Saturdays we will make an additional delivery, leaving our places of business at 4 p. m. and for which no orders will be taken after 3 p. m. of said day.

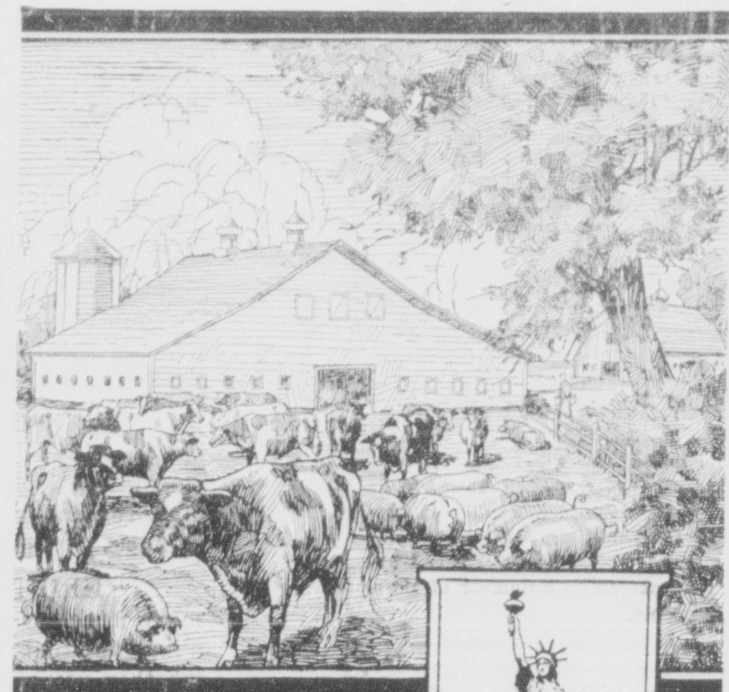
This agreement to remain in effect till the close of the war, unless sooner rescinded or amended by unanimous consent of all of us and with the approval of the Nodaway County Food Administrator.

Signed by—
N. Schumacher & Sons
Remus Mercantile Co.
E. L. Townsend
Aug. Stapler
L. S. Byers

Chas. Buhler
T. F. Reimer
W. F. Thompson
C. F. Nichols
W. B. Price

Approved.

F. P. Robinson,
Nodaway County Food Administrator.



MEAT! More Meat! A world demand for meat and a world shortage of livestock. Farmers and stockraisers are facing new problems in the raising and marketing of livestock. New ideas, new theories, strict economies must be practiced on every side. A closer cooperation between banker and producer is necessary.



Farmers and stockraisers will find this Bank's service advantageous in many ways. In financing purchases, shipping, yard collections, prompt stock returns and market reports,—you will benefit from the facilities we provide.

Nodaway Valley Bank